

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BEXP, IS  
SUBJECT: BICENTENNIAL UNCIRCULATED AND PROOF COIN SETS

1. ISRAELI FIRM, M.F.G. IMPORT AND EXPORT AGENCIES FINE ARTS, ANTIQUES, COINS, HIFA, CONTACTED COMMATT REGARDING POSSIBILITY OF HAVING TO PAY HIGH DUTY RATE ON QUANTITY OF BICENTENNIAL UNCIRCULATED AND PROOF COIN SETS WHICH THEY IMPORTED FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, THE OLD MINT, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, ABOUT SIX MONTHS AGO. FOR REASONS UNKNOWN, THEY RECEIVED THE COINS WITHOUT ANY INVOICES WHICH MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO PROVE TO ISRAELI CUSTOMS THAT THESE COINS ARE LEGAL TENDER IN THE UNITED STATES.

2. PLEASE CABLE WHETHER BICENTENNIAL UNCIRCULATED AND PROOF COIN SETS ISSUED BY U.S. TREASURY ARE LEGAL TENDER IN U.S. THESE SETS CONSIST OF THREE COINS AND ARE DATED 1975-76.  
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